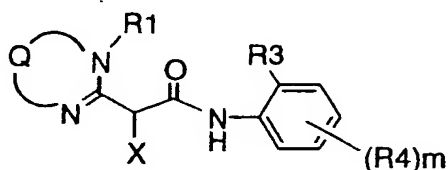


# ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A dye-forming coupler of formula (I), a silver halide photographic light-sensitive material containing the coupler, and an azomethine dye that can be derived from the dye-forming coupler:

formula (I)



wherein Q is a group  $-C(-R_{11})=C(-R_{12})-SO_2-$ ;  $R_{11}$  and  $R_{12}$  bond with each other to form, together with the  $-C=C-$  moiety, a 5- to 7-membered ring, or they each represent a hydrogen atom or a substituent;  $R_1$ ,  $R_3$  and  $R_4$  each represent a substituent;  $m$  is an integer of 0 to 4; and  $X$  represents a hydrogen atom or a group that splits off upon a coupling reaction with an oxidized product of a developing agent; with the proviso that the following compound (I-A) is excluded from the dye-forming coupler of formula (I).

(I-A)

